

Senate Resolution 315

By: Senator Tate of the 38th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Alpha Kappa Alpha Day at the capitol on March 6, 2007; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, which has the distinction of being the first
4 sorority established by African American college women, was founded at Howard University
5 in Washington, D.C., in 1908, and has expanded internationally to 965 chapters; and

6 WHEREAS, Georgia hosts 51 of these chapters which are located on college and university
7 campuses and have active alumnae groups in communities throughout the state; and

8 WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority is committed to community service and actively
9 contributes to the educational, civic, and social life of Georgia's citizens; and

10 WHEREAS, alumnae chapters encourage their members to become involved community
11 volunteers in one of their primary service components that include education, health, the
12 economy, the arts, and the family; and

13 WHEREAS, this great sisterhood, through its Connection Committee, has established a
14 national public policy program which includes its Alpha Kappa Alpha Day at the nation's
15 Capitol and state capitols across the country and this year's program is most fortunate to
16 include its State Connection Committee Chair, the Honorable Carolyn Hugley, and Co-chair,
17 Nikki Randall.

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
19 recognize Alpha Kappa Alpha Day at the capitol on March 6, 2007.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
21 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Honorable Carolyn Hugley and Nikki
22 Randall.